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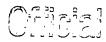
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#### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

### **STATUS**

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

#### **EXTENSION OF TERM**

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.

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